

well. I wish the President well. I wish everybody else who is involved in these negotiations well because this country needs it. This has gone beyond party or person. It is what the country needs. I yield the floor.

Mr. DOLE. Mr. President, I will not extend this but just to thank the Senator, my colleague, my friend from Vermont, and to indicate I think there is this sense, at least in our meeting today, that everybody is going to have to give. It is not all going to be one way or the other. So I think there is that recognition by parties on both sides.

Obviously, it has to continue. We would like to have everything. They would like to have everything. But the American people, what they really want is a 7-year balanced budget using CBO numbers or the same numbers.

They may not understand congressional numbers, White House numbers, but they understand using the same numbers. So I hope we can accomplish that. I would not bet the farm on it yet.

In any event, many of us would like to be other places—like Iowa or New Hampshire—today, but we are working on a balanced budget. I hope people there will understand that.

RECESS UNTIL 10 A.M. TOMORROW

Mr. DOLE. Mr. President, if there is no further business to come before the Senate, I now ask unanimous consent that the Senate stand in recess under the previous order.

There being no objection, the Senate, at 8:15 p.m., recessed until Saturday, December 30, 1995, at 10 a.m.

NOMINATIONS

Executive nominations received by the Senate December 29, 1995:

U.S. ENRICHMENT CORPORATION

CHARLES WILLIAM BURTON, OF TEXAS, TO BE A MEMBER OF THE BOARD OF DIRECTORS OF THE U.S. ENRICHMENT CORPORATION FOR A TERM EXPIRING FEBRUARY 24, 2001. (REAPPOINTMENT)

DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION

GERALD N. TIROZZI, OF CONNECTICUT, TO BE ASSISTANT SECRETARY FOR ELEMENTARY AND SECONDARY EDUCATION, DEPARTMENT OF EDUCATION, VICE THOMAS W. PAYZANT, RESIGNED.

CONFIRMATION

Executive nomination confirmed by the Senate December 29, 1995:

THE JUDICIARY

JED S. RAKOFF, OF NEW YORK, TO BE U.S. DISTRICT JUDGE FOR THE SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK.